

**I. AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION**

On page 6, lines 10-11, please amend the last sentence as follows:

- - Specific technique of these analytical methods is well known

(<http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov>). - -

On pages 13, line 4 to page 14, line 2, please replace the sequence listing as follows:

- - 1) siRNA targeting 5'-UTR

R1-siRNA; 5'-GGAACUACUGUCUUCACGCAG-3'(21 bases) (SEQ ID No. 20, 53-73nt)

R2-siRNA; 5'-GCCAUAGUGGUCUGCGGAACC-3'(21 bases) (SEQ ID No. 21, 139-159nt)

R3-siRNA; 5'-AGGCCUUGUGGUACUGCCUGAU-3'(22 bases) (SEQ ID No. 22, 278-299nt)

R5-siRNA; 5'-GUCUCGUAGACCGUGCAUCA-3'(20 bases) (SEQ ID No. 23, 325-344nt)

R6-siRNA; 5'-GCGAAAGGCCTTGTGGTACTG-3' 5'-GCGAAAGGCCUUGUGGUACUG-3'  
(21 bases) (SEQ ID No. 24, 273-293nt)

R7-siRNA; 5'-GTCTCGTAGACCGTGCACCA-3' 5'-GUCUCGUAGACCGUGCACCA-3' (20  
bases) (SEQ ID No. 25, 325-344nt)

R5L-siRNA; 5'-GUCUCGUAGACCGUGCAUCAT-3' 5'-GUCUCGUAGACCGUGCAUCAU-3'  
(21 bases) (SEQ ID No. 26, 325-345nt)

R1mut-siRNA; 5'-GGAACUACUGUCUUCACGCAG-3'(21 bases) (SEQ ID No. 27, 53-73nt)

R2mut-siRNA; 5'-GCCAUAGUGGUCUGCGGAACC-3'(21 bases) (SEQ ID No. 28, 139-  
159nt)

R3mut-siRNA; 5'-AGGCCUUGUGGUACUGCCUGAU-3'(22 bases) (SEQ ID No. 29, 278-  
299nt)

R5mut-siRNA; 5'-GUCUCGUAGACCGUGCAUCA-3'(20 bases) (SEQ ID No. 30, 325-344nt)

R6mut-siRNA; 5'-GCGAAAGGCCTTGTGGTACTG-3' 5'-  
GCGAAAGGCCUUGUGGUACUG-3' (21 bases) (SEQ ID No. 31, 273-293nt)

R7mut-siRNA; 5'-GTCTCGTAGACCGTGCACCA-3' 5'-GUCUCGUAGACCGUGCACCA-3'  
(20 bases) (SEQ ID No. 32, 325-344nt)

2) siRNA targeting 3'-UTR

R8-siRNA; 5'-GGCTCCATCTTAGCCCTAGTC-3' 5'-GGCUCCAUCUUAGCCCUAGUC-3'  
(21 bases) (SEQ ID No. 33, 9515-9535nt)

R9-siRNA; 5'-~~GGCTAGCTGTGAAAGGTCCGT~~-3' 5'-GGCUAGCUGUGAAAGGUCCGU-3'

(21 bases) (SEQ ID No. 34, 9538-9558nt) - -